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In the application of:

John A. Nix et al.

Serial No.: 09/872,904

Filed: May 31, 2001

For: Packet-Switched Telephony Call Server

Attn: Examiner Steven Blount

Group Art Unit: 2661

FAX No.: 571-273-8300

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In regard to the above identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached

- a) Response to Office Action Mailed March 28, 2005; and
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- b) Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time.

2. With respect to additional fees:


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- A. No additional fee is required.
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- B. Attached is a check in the amount of \$
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- C. Charge the amount of \$510.00 to our Deposit Account No. 13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed

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3. CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a). The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being transmitted to the USPTO facsimile number 571-273-8300, according to 37 CFR 1.6(d) addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, ATTN: Examiner Steven Blount.

Respectfully Submitted,  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)											
<b>ADDRESS TO:</b>  <b>Commissioner for Patents</b> <b>P.O. Box 1450</b> <b>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</b>	<b>Attorney Docket No.:</b> 00-581  <b>Application No.:</b> 09/872,904  <b>Filing Date:</b> May 31, 2001  <b>First Named Inventor:</b> John A. Nix et al.  <b>Group Art Unit:</b> 2661  <b>Examiner:</b> Steven Blount										
<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to and including</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <table> <tbody> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td> <td>\$1,020.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: <b>\$510.00</b>.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 13-2490. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p>		<input type="checkbox"/> One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1,020.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$
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